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**via FACSIMILE (914) 390-4152**

Hon. Kenneth M. Karas  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
300 Quarropas Street  
White Plains, NY 10601

Re: *United States v. Nicholas Tartaglione*  
16 Cr. 832 (KMK)

Your Honor:

[REDACTED] I agree that the defense is not prepared to submit a proposed scheduling order and thus join in the application for more time to submit the proposal, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I do not think the schedule proposed by Mr. Bachrach is unreasonable. Although I have explored different options, I do not have a proposed alternate schedule. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I take no position on whether this or Mr. Ricco's letter should be sealed and filed ex parte.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Bruce A. Barket  
Bruce A. Barket

cc: *via electronic mail*  
(all co-counsel)